

Radford Social.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RADFORD, VA., March 16.—Nellie Meyers, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers, died Wednesday as the result of being burned Tuesday while putting chips in the stove.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. James O'Connor, for shooting ex-Mayor Hall September 14th, was called in the Hustings Court Monday, and all of the attorneys in the case were on hand.—Commonwealth's Attorney Robert L. Jordan and Harris Hoge, of Roanoke, who will assist the prosecution, and S. Lee Trinkle, of Wytheville; J. C. Wyss, of Pulaski, and Judge Selden Longley, for the defense. The case was postponed until the April term, however, owing to the absence of important witnesses.

Mrs. W. H. Galtway received the Carpenters' Events Club Thursday of last week at her pretty home on Grove Avenue. It was a business meeting, and several new members were elected, among them Mrs. J. Edgar Walters, Mrs. W. H. Galtway, and Mrs. M. H. Arnold. Mrs. Walters was elected secretary, and Mrs. Galtway, who is now living in Marion, Mrs. Arnold was elected secretary to succeed Mrs. W. N. Hagland, whose death a few months ago left a vacancy, which will probably never be filled as she filled it. A delightful two-course tea was served in the dining-room at the conclusion of the business meeting.

The Wednesday Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Adams, Wednesday, when Mrs. Baldwin and Stark will be the hostesses at a Chopin afternoon.

Miss Irwin, of Lexington, is visiting her brother, Rev. L. W. Irwin.

Mr. W. W. Carr, treasurer of the Radford Water Power Company, left Friday for California on a business trip.

President J. L. Vaughan, of the Southwest Virginia Agricultural and Live Stock Association, has brought his family from the South, where they have been spending the winter, and will be at home at the West End Hotel for the rest of the winter. The people of Radford are glad to welcome President Vaughan's family, and hope they will remain here permanently.

Miss Lucille Cassel, who was operated on for appendicitis at St. Luke's Hospital recently, has steadily improved since her return home, and is now far recovered as to be able to drive on pleasant days.

Mr. Ribble Martin, a civil engineer of Bluefield, who has been ill for several weeks at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Martin, of East Radford, left Thursday for Memorial Hospital, Richmond, where he will be under the treatment of Dr. George Ben Johnston. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Taylor, Jr., Dr. Henry Dowdy Ribble, of Blacksburg, was in attendance on Mr. Ribble Martin from Saturday until Wednesday.

Miss Mattie Thomas, of Christiansburg, was the guest of Miss Angela Tinsley last week.

Mrs. Lily Patterson Kearsey has spent the week in Roanoke.

The meeting in progress at the Baptist Church is creating much interest, as being the last of the series.

Miss Angela Tinsley, Miss Lillian Longley, Mrs. Selden Longley and Mrs. Brown Hallman were among the shoppers in Roanoke last week.

Mrs. Addison Caffee, who has been fatally ill with cancer, is in an unconscious state, and her death is thought to be not far distant.

FORK UNION

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FORK UNION, N. Y., March 16.—Miss Patti McCreary, of the academy faculty, has returned from a brief visit to her home in Richmond.

Miss Lucy Mosby, of Wilmington, Va., is visiting friends here.

Captain Charles G. Sneed has returned after a business trip of several weeks in North Carolina.

Mr. L. L. Sutherland, of the academy faculty, who has been in the city for several days ago in the interest of the Academy Athletic Association, has returned.

Miss Helen K. Spain, the director of the Choral Society, entertained the social meeting of the society in the academy. The members thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Miss Spain has accomplished splendid work with the vocal music.

The Rev. A. J. Fristoe, of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, Norfolk, who recently closed a very successful revival here, is a preacher of unusual power and ability. His preaching was attended by large congregations, although the weather was anything but auspicious. Over thirty young people indicated by their actions a desire to live the better life as a result of the revival.

Miss Mary Miller Sneed, who has been in ill health for many years, has now almost fully regained her former health. Miss Sneed is under charge of Dr. John W. Allen.

Mr. Holling Galt, of Albemarle, Ga., is visiting his mother at the rectory, en route to New York on business.

Miss Lucy Lee Jones, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Frances McGarvey, in Brooklyn, N. Y., quite a while, is now visiting her uncle, Hon. T. N. Jones, of East of Wight county.

The condition of the local roads for the past two weeks has been very bad, the mud being almost "chub deep." The friends of Mr. W. B. Galt, who was recently confined to the Virginia Hospital, will be glad to know that he has sufficiently recovered to return to his home.

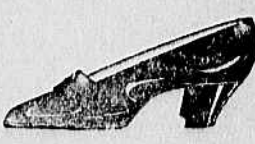
There are a large number of players now in daily practice on the academy ground. The boys are getting the kinks out of their arms and legs rapidly, and are also getting their batting eye on the ball.

Some of the players who are playing good ball are: Richards, Doffmeyer, Duval, Hall, Pettit, Williams, Fugate, Gardner, Bowersett, Mosby, Ulland, Sneed, and a number of others are showing as well. Some heavy hitting has been developed among the novices. The student body is interested in the ball team and athletics. There are no muddy roads as yet, and the boys recently described the college students who took no interest or part in athletics.

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Wytheville Social.

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WYTHEVILLE, VA., March 16.—

Rev. W. H. K. Pondleton, rector of St. John's Church, has been holding Lenten mission services, both in the afternoon and evening all the week, except Saturday. The attendance has been good and much interest manifested.

Mr. David S. Blair has accepted a position with the Jamestown Exposition Company, and leaves this week for Norfolk, where he will enter upon his new duties.

Mr. Robert Miller, of Pikeville, Ky., who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Thomas C. Miller, returned home Saturday, accompanied by his brother, Master Richard Miller.

Mrs. Fulton left Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. Norment Powell, in Johnson City, Tenn. Mrs. Mae Gibson and little daughter of Bristol, are the guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. Lana Cooper.

Mrs. and Miss Harnelme, of Bristol, are spending some time with Mrs. Mary Pettit.

Miss Josephine Wohlford and Miss Edie returned Saturday from a visit of a few days to New York.

Miss Nanette Strother, of Foursburg, Va., was the guest of her sister, Miss Lucy Strother, at Villa Maria last Tuesday.

The former, with her mother, were en route to Florida, where they will remain for some time.

Mr. James A. Brown is convalescing, after quite a severe spell of illness.

Mr. John Chester Blair continues very sick at his residence on Main Street.

Mrs. Robert W. Williams and aunt, Mrs. Otey, of Bluefield, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Otey.

Messrs. Robert and Fleming Rich, of Pocahontas, were called home Monday by the death of their uncle, Mr. Robert H. Allen.

Mr. J. Norment Powell visited his parents this week, on his return from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, of Martinsburg, are the guests of Colonel R. E. Withers, at "The Hermitage."

Mr. Charles Heuser returned Thursday from an extended trip to New York and Cuba. Mrs. Heuser accompanied him on the trip, but will visit friends in Baltimore for a few days before returning home.

SPOTSYLVANIA

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LEWISTON, VA., March 16.—The

neighborhood around Lewiston is having rural free delivery no less volens. Lewiston and other post-offices have been abolished, and in their stead only one rural free delivery route established, which covers only a small part of the territory formerly served by the star routes.

The road describing the loop around the small bit of favored country bristles with crowding mail boxes, representing not only those living on the route, but people living miles away, who have no mail service.

Mr. Alden Scott Anderson, of Ivy, Albemarle county, is taking a special course at Bel Air school preparatory to entering college.

Mr. Cason Segar has bought a body of pine timber near Lewiston and will move his sawmill in at once.

Miss N. E. Scott, principal of Bel Air school, has returned to her duties after a delightful stay of ten days with friends at Ivy and the University of Virginia.

Miss Myrtle Atkinson, of Bel Air School, spent the week-end at "Ellerlie," the home of Mrs. B. F. Vaughan.

Mrs. Mildred Dew has returned home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Washington.

Mrs. W. H. Luck, who is at the Memorial Hospital, is reported to have stood her operation well and is improving.

Mr. Compton, of Richmond, was at Lewiston this week.

Miss Bertha Payne, of Ashland, Va., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Mastin.

There is talk in England of celebrating the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Wesley, which occurred December 18, 1707.

Abingdon Social.

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ABINGDON, VA., March 16.—Miss

Susie Bradley is in Bristol, where she went this week to be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas, for several weeks.

Mr. James Trigg, of Johnson City, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. Will White, of Greenfield, was in town for a few days this week.

Mr. Daniel M. Cosby, of Tazewell, is visiting his father, Mr. L. T. Cosby.

Mr. J. O. Fox, who has been at the Belmont Hotel for several months, left Wednesday for Texas.

Miss Mary Aston, of Cedarville, is visiting in town this week.

Mr. Cannaday, of Roanoke, was in town several days this week on business. Mr. Cannaday was here in Abingdon some time with the Wholesale Grocery Company.

Mr. T. H. Mason has returned after a month's absence. Mr. Mason intends to open a factory for the making of concrete blocks. This will be located on the Norfolk and Western property back of the post office.

Mrs. J. W. McBrown has gone to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Shumaker, who is ill at Stanford, Ky.

Mrs. T. S. Russell has returned to Bristol, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gildersleeve.

Mr. Wyndham White, of the firm of Trigg & White, Bristol, has returned from a trip of several weeks to Georgia, where, in connection with Mr. W. W. Bourne, he closed a large timber deal. He disposed of a tract of 20,000 acres of pine and hardwood to a New York syndicate.

The Tea Club is making preparations for a progress to Johnson City as an Easter entertainment. The young ladies expect to progress from one house to the next for their different courses, and are enthusiastic to test the result of their experiment.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

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FAIRMONT, VA., March 16.—The

Senior A class showed their good-will for the Senior B class by giving a complimentary entertainment Friday evening, March 8th, for the benefit of the Annual, published every year by the Senior B's.

The program consisted of two scenes—the first, a burlesque of opening exercises, of course omitting all religious exercises; the second, a mock faculty meeting. The largest audience of the session gathered to enjoy the fun of seeing the girls "get even" with the teachers. Nearly every member of the faculty was present, and nobody was more amused and entertained by the clever young actresses than their instructors themselves. Heavy drapes had been made by the impersonators upon the wardrobes of the teachers, as well as upon their stock of pet theories, favorite sayings and distinguishing mannerisms, so that the delighted audience could recognize every pseudo-faculty member, and enthusiastically applauded every witty sally or telling hit.

Those deserving special mention as particularly skilful faculty understudies are Miss Rebecca Vaughan, as Mr. Jarman; Miss Bernice Howard, as Mr. Bidgood; Miss Emily Lewelling, as Miss Snow; Miss Alice Castle, as Miss Ellis; Miss Margaret White, as Mr. Jones; Miss Wirt Davidson, as Miss Winston; Miss Florence Barr, as Mr. Mattoon; Miss Blanche Gentry, as Dr. Mildred; Miss Virginia Tinsley, as Miss Sutherland; Miss Belle Bates, as Miss Harrington; Miss Louise Semones, as Miss Coulting; Miss Mildred Price, as Miss Rice; Miss Elaine Toms, as Miss Waterbury; and Miss Mae Marshall, as Mrs. Brooks.

It was in the midst of good humor that the young ladies held the mirror up to their instructors, who laughed heartily over the humorous exhibition of habits they scarcely knew they possessed, and were, perhaps, enlightened and profited thereby.

Miss Eleanor Jamison accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Camper, on her return to Salem last Saturday, and returned to school on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Messinger and her little son, Loren, left Wednesday, March 13th, for Iowa, to spend several months with relatives. Dr. Messinger accompanied them as far as Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jarman gave a delightful little dinner party Thursday evening, March 14th. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Blum, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huggs, Mrs. S. C. Hatcher and Mr. Lee Hildner.

Mr. Willis Jenkins, one of the school inspectors for the State, spent Thursday at the Normal School.

FLOYD SOCIAL

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FLOYD, VA., March 16.—R. F. Tompkins has returned from Radford and Roanoke on legal business.

David Slusher, W. T. Stump, H. L. Lawson, T. B. Lester, J. E. Burwell and O. M. Mabry, returned the United States Court at Lynchburg.

Rev. Abram Hogan is very sick at this time with grip.

Plem Tice left Monday to accept a position in Chicago.

Mrs. J. H. Spencer is right sick with grip.

J. H. Sumpter, the newly appointed postmaster, has given bond and received his commission, and will take charge of the office on April 1st.

J. S. Storer and wife, of Willis, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. W. F. Williams left to-day for Roanoke to visit her daughter for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones are visiting Mrs. Jones's parents, near town.

Joseph T. Hildner, formerly of Fulsburg, Va., spent several days here, visiting his parents before leaving Virginia to accept a position at Ironton, Ala.

J. W. Boyd, of Pulaski, is spending a few days with relatives near town.

Dr. William M. Burwell and wife, of Chincoteague, are here, having been called on account of sickness of his brother, Nat Burwell.

Miss Eugenia Slusher had an operation performed on her foot, and a large splinter was extracted which had been there for over a year.

The following traveling men were registered at the hotels here this week: R. L. Mason, Waynesboro; E. J. Heatwell, Rockingham; W. E. Weeks, Radford; C. H. Horner, Lynchburg.

Rev. E. H. Coppenhaver, of Damascus, who closed out a successful meeting at Willis, preached an able sermon at the Lutheran Church last Sunday night, but, owing to inclement weather, the crowd to hear him was small.

Mr. Malinda Howard is confined to her room with grip.

WILLIAM AND MARY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., March 16.—

The outlook for the baseball season was never brighter for William and Mary than it is this year.

Out of the old team, six men have returned—Longnecker, catcher; Haradon, at first base; Lewis, at second base; Summers, at third base; Driver, right field, and Franck, left field. For pitchers, Crawford, who made debut at the University of North Carolina last year, and Joyner, who pitched for Hampden-Sydney last season, have offered themselves. Both of these men are excellent pitchers.

Besides these much promising players' material has been found among the freshmen. Out of a squad of about twenty, eight or ten men of excellent promise have been found, men who have played ball before and know the game well. Among these may be mentioned Kirkmeyer and Taylor, who have already made a reputation as athletes by their work on the football team last fall.

James Barry, of Norfolk, an old University of Virginia man, has been secured to coach the team, and will arrive here in a few days, now to put the team through a thorough course of training in preparation for the first game with Princeton, March 24th.

Already the team has come together in one game with the Williamsburg team. In this game an excellent showing was made, the game being won by the close score of 5 to 3, and with very few errors on either side.

In fact, everything seems to be going William and Mary's way in the athletic line just at present, and the "prophets" of whom there is never a scarcity, are already prophesying a season full of victories and honors.

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Fancy Checked and Plaid Panamas at \$1.00 and \$1.50 yard.

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New "Moonlight" Mixtures for tenniscloth wear, 54 inches wide, \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.85.

New German and French Novelty Checks, 46 inches wide, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

New Imported Cassimere Suitings for tailor suits, 48 inches wide, at \$2.00.

New and Pretty Styles of Fancy Suitings, 36 inches wide, at 50c yard.

Twenty different colors in All-Wool Fine Batistes, 39 inches wide, at 50c.

Plain Sheer Crisp Voiles, Navy, Browns, Tans and evening shades, 42 inches wide, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard.

Beautiful Fancy Voiles, 44 inches wide (new styles entirely), at \$1.50 yard.

We have the proper shades in Brown and Tan Voiles, that are very scarce. Prices, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 yard.

Elegant quality All-Wool Cream Serge, 38 inches wide, 60c.

Heavy Mohair Sicilian, in navy, white and cream, 44 inches wide, very lustrous, 85c.

Splendid quality heavy Tailor Suit Serge, in cream, 50 inches wide, at \$1.25.

Special Navy Blue All-Wool Storm Serge for girls' Peter Thompson Suits, 33 inches, at 60c.

Ladies' Kid Gloves.

Our spring Gloves are here and are up to the very latest standard of quality, style and cut. The prices are the lowest for such qualities, and you know from experience that the best quality Gloves are the cheapest to buy.

Fine Embroideries.

Seldom, if ever, have we been able to show such a beautiful variety of fine Embroideries and Laces as the exhibit we are making this week. The expert and nimble-fingered workers of Europe have displayed a marvelous ingenuity and dexterity in producing these dainty, fine Embroideries.

Match patterns in cambric, nainsook, Swiss.

Beautiful Flouncings, Bands, All-overs, Edges, Insertions, Beadings. Prices, 5c to \$5.00 a yard.

Laces and Dress Trimmings.

All the latest novelties from the European and American markets are now on display in our Lace and Dress-Trimming Departments. We are showing an exceptionally strong line of Cluny Laces in Edges, Insertions and Gallions, in both linen, cotton and silk; newest patterns in Black Silk Clunys.

In Venice and Cluny combinations there are handsome and exquisitely designed festooned patterns in gallions, as well as beautiful medallion patterns. These come in white, cream, the Paris shade and black. Never have we shown a handsomer line or a greater variety in colored and black Dress Trimmings. They range in price from 3c to \$10.00 per yard.

Special Values in Towels.

Sizes 20x38, H. S. Linen Huck Towels, cheap at \$2.75. Special, \$2.50 dozen.

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MILLER SCHOOL

MILLER SCHOOL, VA., March 16.—Mr. Charles Shepherd, of Washington City, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Roberta Fulton left this week for the University of Virginia, where she will be a guest of Professor Humphreys.

Miss Florence Rhodes, of Charlottesville, Va., spent several days this week with her friend, Miss Edith Diekey.

Miss Helen Michie has returned from Washington.

Mr. J. A. Holladay, assistant chemist, has secured a position in West Virginia. Dr. Millhenny, of the University of Virginia, preached here Sunday.

Miss Lucy Mann has succeeded J. H. Rhodes as "center."

Mrs. W. G. Moran is visiting friends in Waynesboro, Va.

Fishing Is Not Catching.

A distinguished public man is amusing his friends with the following story: Not long ago I came upon a man fishing in my lake. I did not learn until afterward that the trespasser had been there all the afternoon without a bite. Stepping to his side I politely invited his attention to the fact that he was fishing in a private preserve in violation of the law. The stranger smiled sadly. "You are mistaken, sir," he replied, "I'm not catching your fish; I'm feeding them."

Insurance on Pennsylvania's Capital.

The State's magnificent \$10,000,000 Capital in Harrisburg has been insured for \$4,000,000, the amount of the subscription for the completion of the building. No thought has apparently been given to the nine millions of trimmings and decorations furnished by John H. Sanderson and the Pennsylvania Construction Company, and the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, which awarded the insurance, in its wisdom has considered the figure named by the Legislature sufficient to cover any loss which might be incurred through a fire. The insurance has been split up by the board, \$2,000,000 going to two Philadelphia brokerage houses, and \$2,000,000 to Harrisburg firms.—Philadelphia Record.

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